Subject: Emergency Assistance for Non-Public Schools Program Update #9

Date: June 21, 2021 **From:** EANS email account

Greetings Wisconsin EANS Program Participants and Interested Parties,

This email provides information about allowable expenses, with a focus on what will happen for certain kinds of expenses at the end of the program period - September 30, 2023.

The allowable expenses document on the <u>DPI website</u> has recently been updated.

Expense examples that have been added or updated are highlighted in yellow.

As noted in the prior 5/28/21 program update, when considering different situations, we focus on whether an expense results in a capital improvement and whether the requested expense addresses the impact of COVID-19.

In addition to some new expense examples, **we have added the following columns** (also highlighted in yellow) into the spreadsheet:

- Supply or equipment
- Label required (Y/N)

The first category - supply or equipment - will be the first indication to you for how items will be handled at the end of the program period (9/30/2023). Here's what you should know about that:

Equipment that is worth more than \$5,000 as of 9/30/2023 will be handled in one of two ways:

- 1. If there is an applicable allowable use under a different federal law, the title may be transferred appropriately and the use case updated.
- 2. If there is not an applicable allowable use under a different federal law, CESA 6 will collect the item from your school.

Equipment that is worth \$5,000 or less as of 9/30/2023 will be handled in one of two ways:

- 1. If there is an applicable allowable use under a different federal law, the title may be transferred appropriately and the use case updated.
- 2. If there is not an applicable allowable use under a different federal law, CESA 6 may allow schools to retain the equipment.

<u>Unused supplies</u> totalling more than \$5,000 as of 9/30/2023 will be handled in one of two ways:

- 1. If there is an applicable allowable use under a different federal law, the title may be transferred appropriately and the use case updated.
- 2. If there is not an applicable allowable use under a different federal law, CESA 6 will collect the item from your school.

Used supplies will be handled in the following ways:

- 1. CESA 6 may allow your school to keep the supplies.
- 2. If there is an applicable use-case under a different federal law, it is possible to transfer the title accordingly (likely to your LEA).

Regarding inventory of items, CESA 6 will require inventory and status of <u>all</u> items purchased with EANS funds - regardless of whether your school may keep the property or not - throughout and at the end of the program period.

Reminder: CESA 6 is the EANS program manager

Since final allocations were released on May 28th, and now that the direct service and reimbursement processes are open, CESA 6 is the primary contact for questions regarding EANS program administration, including questions about reimbursements and access to direct services. As a reminder, though, contact the CESA in which your school resides first when considering services and supports for your school.

We encourage EANS Program schools to **bookmark the <u>CESA 6 EANS webpage</u>**, as this will be an important starting point for all reimbursements and to access direct services from your CESA.

We hope this information is helpful. If you have any questions, please email **EANS@cesa6.org**.

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